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Enclosure: (A) Outline of Military Intelligence Chain of Command - North China

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1. Enclosure (A) forwarded herewith indicates the Military Intelligence Chain of Command in North China; particularly in the Peiping and Tien-ching (Tientsin) areas, as well as that of the Bureau of Investigation and Statistics (Tai Li's organization) and gives the names of key personalities.

2. Attention is invited to the fact that Cheng Kai-min was appointed as director of B.I.S. upon the death of the late Tai Li, but because of his duties as commissioner for the National Government at the Executive Headquarters in Peiping, Mao Jen-feng (毛人鳳) has been acting. Usually well informed Chinese sources state that Cheng Kai-min assumed the responsibilities of this office unwillingly at the behest of the Generalissimo and has been able to give the job little of his time. The acting director Mao, is said by the same source to be temperamentally unsuited for this type of work, and adds that since Tai Li's demise the organization has been less efficient and very poorly managed with a great deal of local autonomy apparent.

3. Accordingly, it is stated, the Generalissimo will soon appoint his elder son Chiang Ching-kuo to reorganize the B.I.S., and will attempt to restore to it some of its old-time efficiency. Source was of the opinion that upon the completion of this task young Chiang would assume the directorship. Source was of the opinion that Chiang Ching-kuo would be ideally suited for the job since he was trained in Russia and has a Russian wife, and would thus be able to better understand the Soviet viewpoint in his task of ferreting out Soviet and Communist agents and underground workers.

4. Source pointed out the fact that all of the local directors have had many years of experience with Tai Li, that they preserve a rigid anonymity and that they do not necessarily have to report to their military commanders but may report directly to the Generalissimo through the B.I.S. Chain of Command.

5. It was also stated, as is well known, that B.I.S. employs thousands of agents throughout China and in foreign countries, and that all civil judges must swear allegiance to the organization in order to be appointed. It was further stated that at the time of the arrest and apprehension of the chief North China collaborators, charges and sentences were handed to the judges simultaneously by the B.I.S. officials who instigated the arrests.

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6. Insofar as military intelligence is concerned each military commander has a separate intelligence agency for the compilation and dissemination of local or national information of a strictly tactical or combat nature. Such matters, however, as loyalty to the Government, espionage within the military ranks, etc., are handled by the B.I.S. agents within their respective military organization.

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ENCLOSURE (A)

1. National Defense Ministry → (A) Bureau of Investigation and Statistics
   Chairman: Chiang Kai-shek — Cheng Kai-min (鄭介民)
   Mao Jen-feng (毛人鳳) (Acting)

2. Generalissimo's Field Headquarters (B) Department of Inspection and Searching
   General Li Tsung-jen (李宗仁) ← Tu Cha Chu (督察處)
   (Controls Peiping, Tientsin, Hopei, Shantung, Suiyuan, Chahar.) — Maj. General Ma Han-san (馬漢三)

3. Eleventh War Zone Headquarters ← (C) Chamber of Investigation and Statistics
   General Sun Lien-Chung (孫連仲) — Maj. General Chang Chia-chuan (張家銓)

3.(a) Peiping Garrison Command ← (D) Department of Investigation
   Lt. General Hou Ching-ju (侯鏡如) — Chi Cha Chu (稽察處)
   Commanding General of the 92nd Army. — Maj. General Ni Chao-fan (倪超凡)

3.(b) Tien-ching (Tientsin) Garrison Command ← (E) Department of Investigation
   Mou Ting-fang (牟廷芳) — Chi Cha Chu (稽察處)
   Commanding General of the 94th Army. — Chin Hsien-chow (金仙舟)

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